

Programme

Breakfast & Registration 0800 - 0900

Keynote Speakers

0900 - 0930

Senior figures leading the future vision for the proposed ARC corridor will open the conference, setting the tone and sharing exclusive insights into the importance of the corridor and the phenomenal opportunities that can be unlocked.

Keynote 1

OXLEP;
Ahmed Goga, Director of Strategy

Keynote 2

SEMLEP;
Sir Peter Horrocks, Chair

Keynote 3

Corporate Partner

Session 1: The OxCambs ARC - The State of Play

0930 - 1030

Our first session will comprise of leaders from both the public and private sectors who will highlight the potential for development and set out the objectives for future collaboration and alignment which can lead to massive economic growth across the region.

Buckinghamshire Thames Valley LEP; Richard Harrington, Chief Executive Officer

Huntingdonshire District Council; Jo Lancaster, Managing Director

MEPC; Phillip Campbell Commercial Director

OXLEP; Ahmed Goga, Director of Strategy

Barratt David Wilson Homes; Jim Rawlings, Senior Planning Manager

1030 - 1100 Break & Networking

Session 2: Connecting the ARC - Infrastructure Plans

1100 - 1220

Some of the leading players within infrastructure will showcase the schemes required to underpin the proposed developments including the Ox-Cam Expressway, energy, utilities, and rail.

The Land Trust; Euan Hall, Chief Executive Officer

Bedford & Milton Keynes Waterway Trust; Jane Hamilton, Chair

Wildlife Trust; Ellie Ellwood, Vision Co-Ordinator

Hive Energy; Hugh Brennan, Managing Director

Speaker 5 – TBC

1220 - 1300 Lunch & Networking

Session 3: Universities and Colleges – Creating Campuses to Attract and Retain Talent

1300 - 1415

We hear from some of the biggest higher education institutions from across the corridor on how they'll be expanding their estates, driving growth, integrating into the new opportunities and ensuring students are embedded into the working community.

Chair: Simon Toplass, Chief Executive, PAGABO

University of Cambridge; Aaron Cohen-Gold, Director

University of Buckingham; Sir Anthony Seldon, Vice Chancellor

Oxford Brookes University; Prof Linda King, Pro Vice-Chancellor

Anglia Ruskin University; James Rolfe, Chief Operating Officer

1415 - 1430 Break & Networking

Session 4: Major Developments Placemaking in the ARC

1430 - 1600

This session brings together those firms developing massive new schemes across the region – from skyscrapers to major commercial developments and residential focused communities, we will hear plans for the future and how to get involved in the procurement process.

Chair; Hadham Construction

Countryside Properties; Andrew Taylor, Director – Head of Planning

Grovemere Property; Harvey Bibby, Director

MEPC / Perkins+Will; Andrea Imaz, Senior Urban Designer

Orbit Homes; Guy Dixon, Head of Property & Portfolio Management

Taylor Wimpey; Bryn Maidman, Divisional Managing Director

Aster Group; Hannah Watkins, Assistant Development Director

Salmon Property; Pat Mahoney, Director

Santander; Hanayyah Sutton, Programme Director

1600 - Conference Summary & Conference Close
